Neither SAIL nor the Ministry of Steel has any information about the alleged involvement of M/s. TPE in the Hawala case.

रायगढ़ जिले में चीनी मिल की स्थापना

2245. **श्री दिलीप सिंह जुदेव:** क्या खाद्य मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) मध्य प्रदेश के रायगढ़ जिले में कृषक भारती कोआॅपरेटिव लिमिटेड द्वारा एक चीनी मिल स्थापित करने के लिए स्वीकृति किस तिथि को प्रदान की गई थी;

(ख) उक्त चीनी मिल को स्थापित करने के लिए क्या कदम उठाए गए हैं;

(ग) क्या वर्ष 1993-94 से 1995-96 के बीच की अवधि के दौरान राज्य प्रशासन को इस मिल की स्थापना के लिए जिला स्तर पर कोई कार्यवाही करने के लिए लिखित निर्देश दिये गये हैं, यदि हां, तो उसका ब्यौरा क्या है; और

(घ) उक्त जिले में यह मिल कब तक लगाए जाने की संभावना है और इस संबंध में की जा रही कार्यवाही का ब्यौरा क्या है?

खाद्य मंत्री (श्री देवेन्द्र प्रसाद यादव): (क) और (ख) मध्यप्रदेश के रायगढ़ जिलें में नई चीनी मिल स्थापित करने के लिए उद्योग मंत्रालय के माध्यम से कृषक भारती सहकारी लिमिटेड से कोई आवेदन प्राप्त नहीं हुआ है।

(ग) और (घ) प्रश्न नहीं उठता।

THE VICE-CHAIRMAN (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY): We shall now take up Zero Hour mentions. The first subject is Celebration of 86th birthday of Mother Teresa. She is critically ill. Mr. Peter Alphonse wants to speak on that.

SHRI S. PETER ALPHONSE (Tamil Nadu): Sir,...

THE VICE-CHAIRMAN (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY): Just a minute. *(Interruptions).*

SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE (West Bengal): Sir, we all wish her speedy recovery. *(Interruptions).*

SHRI SATISH AGARWAL (Rajas-than): What is there to mention about it? We all pray for her speedy and early recovery. *(Interruptions).*

SHRIMATI JAYANTHI NATARAJAN (Tamil Nadu): What is the problem in our mentioning it? It is our right to mention it. Nobody should object to it. *(Interruptions).*

SHRI SATISH AGARWAL: It is a suggestion of a leader of the Congress party. I am supporting him.

SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE: Sir, on behalf of all of us I pray to God for her speedy recovery.

SHRI AJIT P.K. JOGI (Madhya Pradesh): It should come from the Chair.

THE LEADER OF THE OPPOSITION (SHRI SIKANDER KAKHT): It will be the best thing to do.

THE VICE-CHAIRMAN (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY): I will do it. I have to make an announcement.

ANNOUNCEMENT RE: RESIGNATION OF MEMBER

THE VICE-CHAIRMAN (SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY): I have to inform hon. Members that the hon. Chairman has received a letter from Mufti Mohd. Sayeed, who represented the State of Uttar Pradesh, regarding his resignation from Rajya Sabha. The hon. Chairman has accepted his resignation w.e.f. 29th July, 1996.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

I. Report and Accounts (1993-94) of the National backward Classes Finance and Development Corporation, New Delhi and related papers.

II. Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the National Institute of Rehabilitation Training and Research, Cuttack and related papers.

III. Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the Institute for the Physically Handicap ped, New Delhi and related papers.

IV. Report and Accounts (1993-94 & 1994-95) of the Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi and related papers.

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI BALWANT SINGH RAMOOWALIA): Sir, I lay on the Table—

I. (1) A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:—

(i) Second Annual Report and Accounts of the National Backward Classes Finance and Development Corporation, New Delhi for the year 1993-94, together with the Auditors' Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(ii) Review by Government on the Working of the above Corporation.

(2) Statement (in English and Hindi) giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-227/96]

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:—

(i) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Institute of Rehabilitation Training and Research, Cuttack, for the year 1994-95, together with the Audit Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Institute.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-231/96]

III. (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Institute for the Physically Handicapped, New Delhi, for the year 1994-95, together with the Audit Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Institute.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-232/96]

IV. (a) Eighth Annual Report and Accounts of the Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi, for the year 1993-94 and 1994-95, together with the Audit Report on the Accounts.

(b) Review by Government on the working of the above Council.

(c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. *See* No. LT-229/96]

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I. Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the Omnibus Industrial Development Corporation of Daman and Diu and Dadra and Nagar Haveli Limited, Moti Daman and related papers.

II. Report and Accounts (1994-95) of the Hindustan Photo Films Manufacturing Company Limited, Indunagar Udhagamandalam, Tamil Nadu and related papers.

III. Accounts (1994-95) of the Coir Board, Cochin and related papers.

IV. Notification of the Ministry of Industry.

V. Notification of the Ministry of Industry (Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion)